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## SOVIET PLANES TAKE PART IN KOREAN FIGHTING

### General Dean commands U.S. forces in Korea

Tokyo, July 2. General MacArthur's Headquarters issued a communique at 10.50 GMT today announcing that Major General William F. Dean, Commanding General of the 24th Division, has been designated commander of all United States forces in Korea.

The communique said Brigadier General John Church, Commanding General of the advanced echelon of South Korean forces, will serve as senior General Headquarters liaison officer and will be attached to General Dean's Headquarters. Until General Dean's appointment was announced General Church had commanded the American forces in Korea.

The communique also said the first units of American ground forces have arrived in South Korea, and were "rapidly being deployed for action against the invading Communist forces."—United Press.

### CAF standing by to aid South Korea

In addition to the offer to send 30,000 Chinese troops to Korea to help the South Korean Government, the Nationalist regime at Taipei has also ordered its Air Force to stand by for orders to aid the South Korean air force.

This was reported in yesterday's "Wah Kiu Yat Po".

A series of military and Cabinet conferences have taken place in Taipei during the past few days, according to the paper.

The newspaper said that the subjects discussed included liaison work with the United States Seventh Fleet, military forces for South Korea, strategic plans for the recovery of the China mainland, and the appointment of a new Foreign Minister.

Dr. Wang Shih-chieh was suggested as the most suitable candidate for the Foreign Minister's post. He has held that post previously.

Communist General Lin Piao has massed some 200,000 troops at Chennan Pass, Nanning and other points near the Kwangsi-Indo-China frontier, according to the "Wah Kiu Yat Po".

The report added that since the outbreak of war in Korea, there have been extensive troop movements in Kwangsi.

### SUBMERGED WRECK OFF TAIWAN

Taipei, July 2. Taiwan naval headquarters today issued a notice to all shipping, of the discovery of a submerged steamer of unknown tonnage off the Southern coast of Taiwan.

The wreck, located at 120.45 East, 21.57 North, is submerged at a depth of nine-tenths of a metre.—United Press.

### GENERAL SMUTS

Pretoria, July 2. A bulletin issued here today on General Smuts said "The general has had a good night of sleep. This morning his temperature continues normal, and there is a further increase in his strength."

The general wishes to express his grateful appreciation for the many enquiries extending during his present illness and for all those kind friends who have offered and given help."—Reuter.

### The weather

At 0600 GMT (8 a.m. HKST) the depression centred S of Hokkaido continues to move fairly rapidly E.N.W. with its associated trough extending S.W. towards the Japanese coast. S of the trough a ridge of high pressure from the Pacific anticyclone extends Westwards to the Looeooes. Pressure continues relatively low over China.

Today's Forecast—Moderate S.W. winds, partly cloudy, occasional brief showers.

Yesterday's Weather—  
Maximum: 29.8 deg. F.  
Minimum: 20.9 deg. F.  
Sunshine: 10.5 hours  
Rainfall: 0.5 mm  
Total Rain: 0.5 mm  
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Relative Humidity: 75%  
Wind Direction: S.W.  
Wind Force: 2-3 mph

## North Korean columns pierce Southern defences WARSHIPS IN ACTION

Tokyo (By telephone from Korea), July 2. United Press correspondent Jack James was wounded in the foot at Suwon airport today by a strafing plane bearing Russian markings.

The correspondent and six South Korean soldiers were wounded in a strafing attack on the airstrip by a flight of 14 North Korean planes. James reported four of the planes were Yaks and 10 were Soviet IL-10s.

Four of the latter bore the Red Star insignia. This was the first time any of the raiding planes from North Korea were seen bearing Soviet markings.

The report was sent South through Army channels and phoned to Tokyo by United Press correspondent Robert C. Miller.

James said the South Korean forces defending Suwon were in danger of being flanked by the reported North Korean drive near Kim Yang Jang, about 30 miles East and South of Suwon. He said the exact strength of the Communist drive is not known, but it was believed the troops were travelling in a high speed convoy of at least 50 trucks and meeting little or no opposition.

James reported Suwon airstrip was no longer being used as a landing point for planes coming from Japan with military supplies for the South Korean army.

James said he was wounded slightly in the foot by strafing planes at Suwon airport. He said six South Korean soldiers were not seriously wounded in the attack.

He reported that while the American air attacks had slowed down the Communist drives in the last few days there had been general ground giving by all units defending the Han River South of Seoul. The Reds now hold several beachheads on the South bank of the Han River and at least two spearheads had penetrated several thousand yards South.

Meanwhile, sources in South Korea said they knew nothing about the reports by American pilots that Communist forces were engaged in heavy crossings of the Han River.

Pyeongyang Radio announced today that Red forces in a wide flanking movement East of Seoul defeated Republican forces in the Kwangju and Yangpyungbuk areas and were pressing on towards the Southern base at Wonju, 60 miles East of Seoul.

The radio at 10 a.m. GMT said the Northern forces advancing Southward were last reported 25 miles South of Hongchung. Captives of Wonju would put the Reds astride the railway to Suwon.

### Naval action

British and United States warships went into action off the East coast of South Korea sinking five out of six Communist torpedo boats, General Douglas MacArthur's Headquarters announced today, adding Reuter.

The Headquarters communique reported little change in the Korean front, but admitted that the North Korean forces had managed to get "a moderate number" of tanks across the Han River. South of the captured Southern capital of Seoul.

Reports from Taegon, the temporary South Korean capital 90 miles South of Seoul, said that the vanguard of the American ground forces, flown from Japan, had crossed through the city this morning on their way North into new defence lines.

Taegon was still in touch with the walled city of Suwon, 70 miles to the North, which was the American Advanced Headquarters until Friday night, when it was hurriedly evacuated by mistake.

The South Korean troops seriously wounded the Communist forces in the Suwon area, but the latter were still holding out North of Suwon.

and the airfield there was being repaired.

Australian Mustang fighters have set off on their first mission escorting American transports to Korea.

General Douglas MacArthur's Headquarters has announced that the British and Australian naval units have joined the United States naval forces in Korean waters.

General MacArthur's Headquarters confirmed today in an announcement that 12 United States Air Force aircraft have been lost since the beginning of the operations in Korea. They include fighters, light bombers and transports.

The North Korean Radio announced that Pyongyang, the North Korean capital, was raided three times during the night of July 1.

### "Serious threat"

A spokesman at General MacArthur's Advanced Headquarters said today that two North Korean columns have played the South Korean defence line to constitute "a serious threat," reports Associated Press.

Reports on the columns came from a South Korean observer. He said one was on the road proceeding Southward to Incho, which is about 25 miles almost due West of Suwon.

The second column, he said, was proceeding to Kungyang, about 15 miles South East of Suwon.

Both of the roads lie South of Seoul.

The Korean observer said one column had been strafed by American planes and the second would be attacked.

(At this point, the telephone connection between Tokyo and Taegon was interrupted and the remainder of the story was lost.)

(Apparently, however, these two columns marked new and separate break-throughs of the Han river defence line.)

The column headed for Incho contains an estimated 400-600 infantrymen. The column headed for Kungyang contains 10 motorized artillery pieces and seven ox-drawn anti-tank or anti-aircraft guns. Both threatened Suwon.

Associated Press correspondent Tom Lambert said that there is no indication that a third column is proceeding down the highway from Yonggungpo on the edge of Seoul as was indicated in a previous report.

### More troops

A Headquarters spokesman said the Northerners poured more troops, tanks and artillery into concentrations on the South Eastern and South Western side of Seoul.

The concentration to the South West centred on Seoul airfield which now is in North Korean hands and includes trucks, troops and an estimated 30 tanks.

To the South East near Soibong the Reds massed an estimated two battalions of troops, three or four tanks and the same number of artillery pieces.

on the South. They repaired and planned one of the three railway bridges over the Han river which retreating Southerners had dynamited. It allowed to stand, the bridge would accommodate tanks.

The Communists also built a pontoon bridge near Soibong. But the United States air force was scheduled to bomb the bridge this afternoon. The spokesman said that he was "not sure whether it was still there or not."—United Press, Reuter and Associated Press.

## Pakistan Premier in London

London, July 2. The Prime Minister of Pakistan, Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan, and the Begum Liaquat Ali Khan, arrived at London Airport this morning on the conclusion of their North American tour.

They will stay in Britain for a few days as the guests of the Government and the Prime Minister told Reuter that he would have an informal meeting with Mr. Clement Attlee.

The Prime Minister was received at the Airport by, among others, Mr. Patrick Gordon-Walker, the British Commonwealth Relations Secretary, Mr. Habib Rahimtoola, the Pakistan High Commissioner in Britain, the Begum Rahimtoola, and Mr. Clement Attlee's private secretary, Mr. H. G. Jenkins.

During his stay here Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan will be received in audience by the King at Buckingham Palace and will dine with Mr. Attlee at No. 10, Downing Street. He will also meet British Cabinet Ministers.—Reuter.

## Arrests of Koreans in Japan

Tokyo, July 2. The Japanese police arrested 27 Koreans and Japanese in Yokohama and other places in Kanagawa Prefecture up to 1 a.m. today for distributing handbills opposing the shipment of arms to Korea and protesting the "foreign intervention" in the Korean hostilities.

These were in addition to the 202 persons who were arrested on June 30 for distributing handbills along the Yokohama waterfront.

Seventeen of the people arrested today were females. In Fukuoka City, Northern Kyushu, the police raided the Headquarters of the "Korean Liberation Movement" (Korean Society) and confiscated, among other handbills, attacking the United States.

Several leaders of the Society are being investigated by the police. The Fukuoka police have been alerted to guard against a reported demonstration planned by the Korean Society members in the city on Sunday.

## Anti-Bandit Screen In Malaya



Continuing their anti-bandit campaign in Malaya, British troops cordoned off the Malayan village of Mengkarak recently. Inside the cordon, British troops rounded up everyone in the village and filled them past a slit in a wall of the Police compound. Behind the slit were the eyes of a captured bandit turned informer, and on his word Police detained seven of the villagers for questioning. The remainder of the villagers returned home. Several attacks have been made on the Police compound, but no information had previously been available. The Police have evolved this screening method as the only reply to the undercover policy of the banditry who rob, harm and kill not only the British but also their fellow Malaysians. Photo shows: This is what the informer saw—a player in the drama of the screening. He was not recognised, and passed on.—(AP photo).

## Official Soviet protest -- on potato bugs

London, July 2. Russia charged formally in a note to the United States today that American planes dropped potato bugs on the Soviet zone of Germany in violation of East German territorial integrity.

The note, broadcast by Moscow radio, said the alleged dropping of Colorado beetles was of a "deliberate and criminal nature." It said the "Soviet Government insists the guilty persons be brought to book."

## Egypt report on Jewish attack

Cairo, July 2. Egypt's War Minister, Mustafiq Nosrat Bey, stated today that Egyptian forces had repelled a Jewish attack, supported by aircraft, inside the Egyptian armistice lines near the frontier town of Rafah.

The Minister said that one villager was killed by "light Jewish forces" on Friday.

The Minister said that the Egyptian forces had been instructed to call on the United Nations observers when there have been armistice infringement by the Jews but now they have received instructions to fight back without waiting for the arrival of these observers.

He added that the Egyptian forces carried out these instructions in Friday's attack. The War Minister said that some houses were destroyed and grain supplies were damaged in the attack. "A Jewish plane covered the attack," he added. "The Egyptian forces returned the fire and the Jewish forces retreated to Al Dankour settlement."

## COLLISION IN NY HARBOUR

New York, July 2. An outbound tugboat and a harbor tugboat collided in the Narrows on Sunday morning and the tugboat sank.

First reports said there were nine survivors, including one injured man. The tugboat carried a normal crew of 22. The freighter was named the Melrose, a 6,000-ton ship registered in New York. The tugboat was the North Star, a 1,000-ton ship registered in New York. The collision occurred in the Narrows, which is the narrowest part of New York Harbor.

## Moscow accuses U.S. of launching an aggressive war

London, July 1. A Moscow Radio commentator charged today that the United States had "planned, carefully prepared and launched" an aggressive war against North Korea.

"It is generally known now," said Boris Leontiev in an English-language commentary, "that the reactionary Syngman Rhee clique of American puppets undertook invasion of the Korean People's Democratic Republic according to the plan prepared by American advisers in South Korea."

"President Truman's special emissary in Korea, John Foster Dulles, gave the signal for this provocative move with his speech to the so-called National Assembly of South Korea, and American General Robert in Korea had boasted on many occasions of the fine army he had formed."

Leontiev said the actions of the United States "leave no doubt that the military adventure in Korea was prepared beforehand, adding that American air and naval forces are now 'shelling and bombing Korean towns and villages, murdering women, children and old folk.' He concluded, 'The people of the world say 'Hands off Korea.' This is the demand of all honest people, of the champions of peace.'

Numerous mass meetings were held in Moscow today to express sympathy for the North Koreans. They were the first of their kind since the Korean hostilities started.

Speakers in rubber, automobile and metallurgical plants declared the time has come to curb American imperialism, and expressed gratitude to Stalin for waging a struggle for peace.

### Pyeongyang Radio

Pyeongyang Radio's noon broadcast on Sunday monitored in Tokyo, released a 3,000-word statement by Foreign Minister Pak Hong-Wong of the North Korean government accusing the United States of aggression.

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## Shipping to Amoy resumed

Shipping service between Hong Kong and Amoy was resumed yesterday when the ss. Cheung Hing sailed from the Colony for the Fukien port after being tied up in port for nearly a month.

It was learned that the Cheung Hing was carrying a few passengers and some cargo when she sailed yesterday. She is expected to carry a full load of cargo on her return trip to Hong Kong as a large amount of cargo is known to have piled up in Amoy awaiting export.

Shipping service between Hong Kong and Amoy was interrupted on June 11 when the only vessel plying between the two ports, the British-registered Jeep Hoo, was seized by a Nationalist warship off Amoy while she was on her way back to Hong Kong. The Jeep Hoo was released by the Nationalists at Kinmen Island and returned to Hong Kong after being under detention for 18 days.

It was learned that the Jeep Hoo will also sail for Amoy shortly.

Meanwhile, another British vessel, the Empire Pacific, is expected to sail for Swatow on Tuesday, according to the Lam Kee Shipping Company.

Shipping service between Swatow and the Colony was resumed on Saturday when the Lady Wipac sailed for that port.

A Panamanian vessel, the Barabara, is due to sail for Swatow on Wednesday.

The Butterfield and Swire ship Hunan arrived in port yesterday from Tientsin. Among the passengers were Mrs. B. Leslie, attached to the British Consulate-General in Shanghai, and Mrs. N. C. Blumford, attached to the British Embassy in Peking.

## HMS Kenya arrives in Hong Kong

The British cruiser, HMS Kenya, arrived in Hong Kong yesterday from Singapore.

This increase the naval complement here to six ships—four being destroyers, and one a sloop. Since most of the Navy vessels recently stationed in Hong Kong are now co-operating with the American fleet in Korean waters, it is assumed that HMS Kenya was re-deployed to keep the local naval forces at the usual strength.

Destroyers currently in Hong Kong are HMS Concorde, HMS Concord, HMS Cockade and HMS Charity.

It has been pointed out that a sufficient number of ships would remain in Hong Kong to offer British ships high seas protection while they carry on international commerce.

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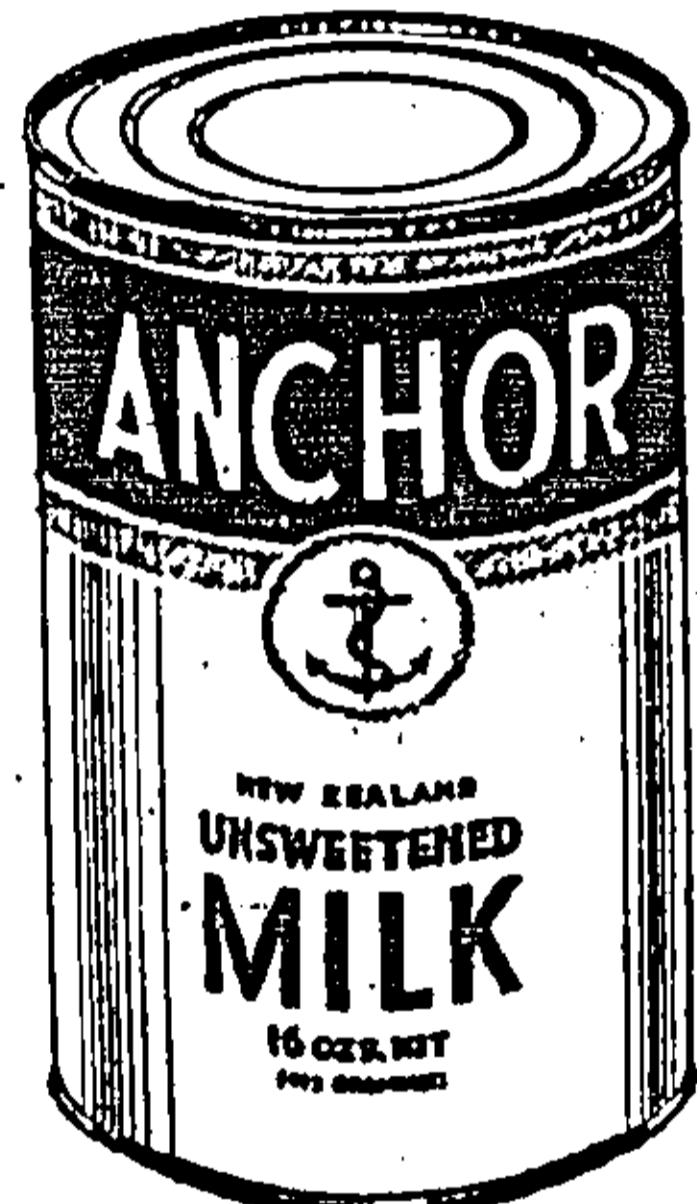
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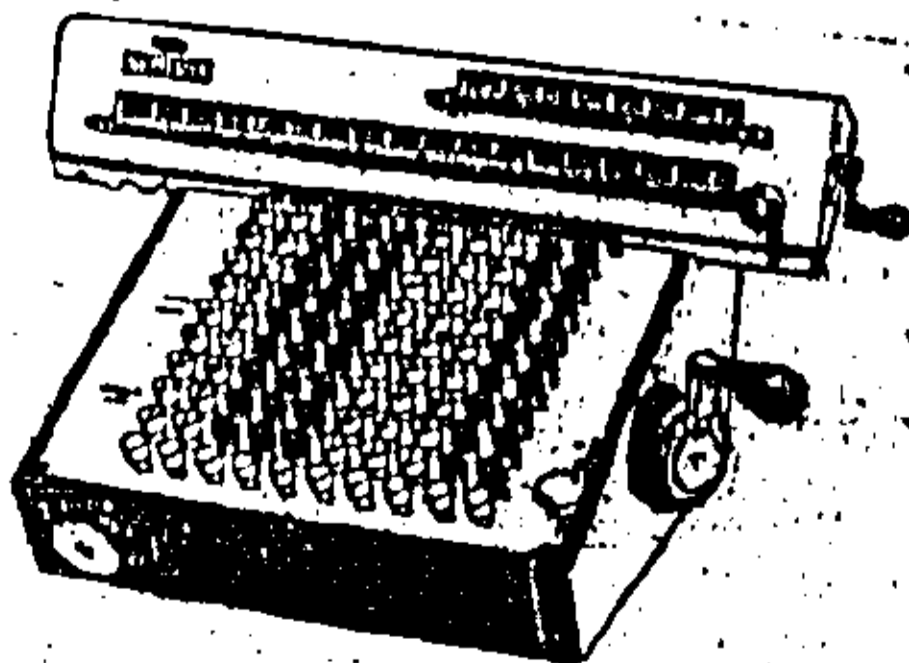


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## Russian tactics in Korea and Germany

Washington, July 1.

Diplomats got jittery today over the similarity of Soviet tactics in Korea and Germany. Almost everything the Communists have done in Korea they did later in Germany.

Now that fighting has developed in Korea, the diplomats wonder what will happen in Germany. The latest parallel between Korea and Germany came on Friday.

The Russians cut off electricity that has been flowing to Western

Berlin. Just about two years ago—May 18, 1948—Communists North Korea and an elected government in South Korea. This time table in Korea had been open to two years ahead of schedule for Germany; the shift in Korea was put into operation nearly two years before the Berlin airlift began. The Communists shifted was the Communist infiltration which is in the United States occupation zone but just out from Communist North Korea.

## Personalia

The former Nationalist Information Minister, Mr. Hollington Tong, left for Taipei by Civil Air Transport yesterday.

Six British Press representatives arrived from Singapore by British Overseas Airways yesterday.

They are on their way to Korea to cover the fighting there.

They are Mr. Stephen Simmons and Mr. H. McGee of "Picture Post," Mr. Ian Morrison, London "Times," Mr. Hudson Reuter and A.P. Mr. Michael Davidson of the London "Observer," and Mr. J. Percival.

## Reaction in Canton to Korean war

The "Sing Tao Jih Pao" in a report from Canton said that the people in the Kwangtung capital are closely watching developments in Korea. Many believe that the Korean disturbances will lead to a third world war.

The newspapers in Canton have been permitted to print only the statements by Chinese Communist leaders and the Soviet "Pravda" editorial on the subject.

But a number have managed to buy Hong Kong newspapers in the black market to read what the democrats have said about the Korean war.

The "Sing Tao Jih Pao" added that many residents in Canton secretly listen to the "Voices of America" broadcasts despite severe penalties threatened by the Communist authorities.

Canton's market reacted to the Korean developments in the rise of prices of rice, dried wood and edible oil—by some 10 per cent.

## WELSH DEMAND HOME RULE

Llandrindod Wells, July 1.

A Welsh conference here today passed a resolution which the Liberal leader, Lady Megan Lloyd George, described as 400 years overdue.

The resolution called for a petition in favour of parliamentary self-government for Wales.

Lady Megan Lloyd George is the daughter of the former Liberal Premier of Britain and is active in the cause of self-government for Wales.

She declared the policy applied to the British Colonies was one of self-government and they were only asking that the same principles should be applied to Wales. The same policy should be applied to small nations as to large ones.

Wales and Monmouthshire occupy 80,000 square miles, with an estimated population of 2,500,000.—Reuter.

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A chatty and slightly sentimental note from Canton:—

"For some weeks back typhus fever has been prevalent in the city and its vicinity; but it has not appeared in the factories, foreigners being blessed with their usual good health."

"The wall between the gardens was taken down recently, adding considerably to the beauty of the place, also rendering the American garden more agreeable by a circulation of air. The united gardens are certainly very pretty, though under the direction of a landscape gardener they could be greatly improved. If laid out in a less formal way they would look larger, and shaded meandering walks would give a which it now lacks. In the old garden the walks are too numerous, too stiff, too wide. A large portion of the limited space is covered with chunnam, and as it is little shaded, in the summer months it can never be very cool. Hence a voice in the matter, we would say, give us plenty of bamboos, plenty of turf and as little chunnam as possible. We would recommend the Canton gardeners to take a look at Mr. Eralne's grounds."

"Trade is dull, nor will there be much improvement until the new tea come in. It is said that the crop is large and the tea will be in the market about the end of June."

## The Ceylon Rifles.

An editorial note in jargon from the "Ceylon Times" on H.M.'s Ceylon Rifles:

We are sorry to notice the tone of a letter in the "Observer" of Monday last having reference to the rifles which appeared in our paper of the previous Friday relative to a detachment of the Rifles which we understand is under orders for Hong Kong. Efforts are aware, have been made to induce the Military Authorities to adopt the Rifles which we complain, but as yet nothing appears to be definitely arranged. We think the writer in the "Observer" might be less harsh in his remarks and less pointed as to his future intention. While regretting, however, the language employed in the letter, we are bound to confess that the argument, taken in an economical point of view, as the writer places it, is deserving of the consideration of those whose duty it is to decide upon the question. For it is admitted that we have no other alternative to the proper authorities, that when economy can easily be obtained by including any Captain in the Detail, and when economy is consistent with propriety, and we may add, justice; we do not think it advisable that should be lightly regarded.

We believe it is generally admitted in theory, and usually followed in practice, that in times of crisis any portion of a Regiment to be detached from its main body, or as it is technically termed, "Head Quarters," that the full complement of officers thereunto belonging should accompany it, and we ourselves are known instances when the Officers of Companies ordered for Detachment duty were absent, or ill, that others were transferred to fill their places; but in no case that we can remember have detachments been sent on duty at such a distance as now contemplated from Head Quarters short of the full complement of Officers.

Upon the last occasion when the Rifles furnished a Detachment for the Station in question, and when Lieut. General Sir Colin Campbell was Governor as well as Commander of the Forces, there were six Companies selected for the Service; and each of these six Companies now absent to be sent to go, and not only short of the Captain, we complain of, but also of a First Lieutenant each, in consequence of the recent reduction in the Regiment.

The chief peculiarities distinctive of the destination of the detachment should not be entirely omitted from consideration in this brief review of the case. Hong Kong, judging from the "Straits Times," that occasionally reach us, and as everybody knows, is about as unhealthy a spot as we have within the tropics; and the duties of the Officers, increased at times by a heavy Sub List, is proportionately severe upon those who may be fortunate to be exempt from illness. In addition, there are the chances of active service, which from the very peculiar position of Hong Kong may, at the least expected time, be realized.

In addition to his duties as a detachment leader, the Officer in command of the Rifles is also acting as a consular officer for the Republic. He has now been informed that in view of the gathering storm of international relations, the Government of the Republic has decided to send a detachment of the Rifles to the Republic, and that the detachment is to be sent to the Republic.

There is a Royal Intercolonial Lines—reorganised from the well-known Java, China, and Japan Lines, one of the earliest shipping companies to engage extensively in the Far Eastern trade. There are also two famous old-established Dutch banks, and many trading companies.

Mr. van der Mandele is entrusted with the task of looking after the welfare of all this. He approaches his work with keen interest, and is not dismayed by the wide variety of duties he is called upon to perform. Again, the wisdom of an early grounding in banking is being vindicated. In politics he is a realist, and he labours under no misapprehension concerning the trend of modern political thought. He is liberal in the sense that term is understood in the United States rather than in other countries.

## PERSONALITY PARADE

### Netherlands Consul-General

Before he began his career in the Foreign Service of the Netherlands, Mr. Karel van der Mandele, the Dutch Consul-General in Hong Kong, spent seven years in the banking profession. He regards this as propitious training for the work he is now doing.

Mr. van der Mandele has been in Hong Kong for three months. He came here with his family direct from Holland where during 1940 he was the acting chief of the Foreign Office section dealing with United Nations affairs.

Mr. van der Mandele, whose full name is Karel Engelbrecht van der Mandele, was born in Rotterdam in 1907. He studied at the universities of Lausanne, Rotterdam and Leiden, and secured his degree as a Doctor of Economic Science in 1932. Two years after he had already begun to work for a living.

Early in 1931 he entered a well-known Dutch banking institution for business training, and remained there seven years. In that time he learned all the fundamentals about high finance and the end that the profession of banking was not for him.

He resigned in 1938—a year before the outbreak of the Second World War—entered the consular service and was made vice-consul in Sydney.

He remained in Sydney for nearly five years before he was sent to South Africa as secretary of the Legation at Pretoria, where he remained for one year.

## A good dividend

In 1944 his early training as a banker paid a good dividend when he was appointed Consul-General in the Netherlands Embassy in Washington. The appointment came at a time when the Allies were pressing home their final offensive against the Axis, and he took part in all the tremendous victory celebrations which in mid-1945 made Washington a festive city.

After Washington, Mr. van der Mandele went to Copenhagen as First Secretary of the Legation there. The year after that he returned home after nine years abroad, and was attached to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Later that year he was a member of the Netherlands delegations to the Economic and Social Council and the Economic Commission for Europe of the United Nations. The work resulting from his appointment to these delegations was his last well into 1949. In 1949 he became acting chief of the Foreign Office's section dealing with UN affairs. Four months ago he gave up this task to come to Hong Kong as Consul-General.

Mr. van der Mandele attributes his perfect command of the English language to the many years he spent on consular and diplomatic service in English-speaking countries. One may detect an occasional lapse into accent, but otherwise his conversation is no different from that of foreigners who have had the advantage he lacked of actually studying in English universities. Mr. van der Mandele has not yet been to England.

## Great importance

He regards his appointment to Hong Kong as a milestone in his career, because the Consulate here is considered of great importance to Netherlands economy. Part of the job consists of looking after the welfare of a Dutch community of 300 people, including children.

Dutch influence along the China coast has always been extensive, and there have always been sizeable communities of Dutchmen in Shanghai, Hong Kong, Canton and Hong Kong. Current events, however, have reduced the Dutch population and interests in China, but in Hong Kong they carry on as before.

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For years he has been concerned with the future of Indonesia, and was happy to be at home in Holland last year when the Republic was finally established by mutual agreement between the Netherlands and the administration of President Soekarno to his duties as Netherlands Consul-General. Mr. van der Mandele is also acting as a consular officer for the Republic. He has now been informed that in view of the gathering storm of international relations, the Government of the Republic has decided to send a detachment of the Rifles to the Republic, and that the detachment is to be sent to the Republic.

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growing commercial and cultural relationship of Hong Kong and Indonesia fully justifies the establishment of a separate Indonesian Consulate in Hong Kong. Mr. van der Mandele's hobby is history. He reads history extensively, preferring the chronicles of modern times to those which



Mr. Karel van der Mandele

attempt to recapture the past. He approaches history from the point of view that it is still being made. Modern historians impress him profoundly.

## Interested in China

He has been interested in China for a long time, and when he was in America he devoted many hours to reading books about the Chinese written by Lin Yu-tang, whom he admires. Coming to Hong Kong has enabled him to assess the merits of Professor Lin's philosophical approach to China, and he has been pleasantly surprised to encounter no departure in fact from the charming writings which once impressed him as mere fancy.

The Consul has four children—three sons and one daughter, the latter born in Hong Kong on the eighth of last month, on the occasion of the King's birthday.

The whole family arrived in the Colony three months ago. Mr.

## India's position on Korea analysed

Washington, July 1.

The influential "Washington Post" said today that India's position in the world, and in regard to Korea, had been subject to some misunderstanding on the part of the unthinking and the ideologists who had tagged her as neutral.

But India's action supporting the Security Council over Korea would show Asia that nationalism and interdependence could go together in resisting the evil of aggression.

There had never been any question about the position of Pandit Nehru toward the great conflict that was tormenting the world, said the "Post" in a leading article.

Quoting a part of Pandit Nehru's speech to the United States Congress in which he said that India would not be neutral where freedom was menaced, Justice threatened or where aggression took place, the newspaper said, "The Indian Government has lived up to this unequivocal pledge in its action over Korea."

Pandit Nehru, it pointed out, wanted to demonstrate that his country was independent in its foreign policy and there was a wide gulf between independence and neutrality.

"India is the champion of Asiatic nationalism and true nationalism is what the American people are interested in encouraging in Asia for it is the deadly enemy of Communism," the "Post" added.

India's endorsement of the Security Council action in Korea automatically lifts a cloud of doubt from the minds of Asiatics, the "Baltimore Sun" said in an editorial today.

## Guests welcomed

The newspaper said that India's action was a very big thing because India had inherited leadership of the multiple nationalist movements in Asia. "Everywhere in Asia, people bent on assuring their national integrity against overlordship, past or present of the Eastern world, look to India for inspiration," the "Sun" said.

"If India had chosen to remain aloof on this question of the support of South Korea, millions would have looked no further for guidance."

"They would have assumed automatically that the action of the United States and the endorsement by the Security Council were no more than the machinations of white imperialism."

The endorsement of India, which cannot be by the imagination be looked upon as a "policy of white imperialism," puts another star on the Indian flag, and has been a great triumph for the Indian people, the newspaper said. "Communist India has been exposed as a tool of the East-West imperialist system," it said.

There is a Royal Intercolonial Lines—reorganised from the well-known Java, China, and Japan Lines, one of the earliest shipping companies to engage extensively in the Far Eastern trade. There are also two famous old-established Dutch banks, and many trading companies.

van der Mandele hopes to remain here for four years at least, when he will be due for home leave. For some time now the consular and diplomatic services of the Netherlands have been merged as one unit under the Foreign Office, and he has no idea where he will be sent next.

Not a great sportsman, he looks forward to taking up golf again which he had to drop during the war and during his wandering over the globe since. In the summer he enjoys swimming. He is also fond of hiking, but is wondering how it feels in a tropical climate.

He is a tall, broad man whose blue eyes and fair complexion proclaim his Nordic origin. In temperament he is hearty, fond of sunny stories, and full of humour. People in his office find him easy-going but strict in matters that are really important.

So objects to laxity in all things, and as a rule asserts that well-known Dutch characteristic of demanding full value when a bargain has been reached. His staff are not encouraged to leave desks after long after closing time. But, on official occasions, he will permit nothing to interfere with their legitimate relaxation.

He is a linguist, speaking Dutch, English, French and German with an easy fluency. His knowledge of these varieties of human speech—with the exception of his mother tongue—was acquired more by experience than through the aid of text books. Until his appointment in Sydney he spoke English with some difficulty; now he speaks it with an accuracy in accent and vocabulary which provokes admiration.

In 1933 he wrote a thesis on "Liberalism in the Netherlands," which was notable for its studious research and sincerity. Much water has flowed since then under the bridge of his career, but years have in no way changed the qualities which he then displayed. If anything, his experiences have made him an even greater believer in the ultimate worthiness of sincere liberalism in all things.

## EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS

An exhibition of water colours and oil paintings will be held at St. John's Cathedral hall today between 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.

The artist, Mr. P. Y. Chen, will also exhibit his work at the Sun Company's art hall from July 1 to 7—daily, between 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.

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No damage was suffered by the ferry and none was injured.

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## Four more Clubs for League Football

By WALTER PILKINGTON

The English Football League, has been extended to include an additional four teams.

The League is a remarkable organisation for many reasons; it has existed 60 years and today is stronger than ever; it conducts its business with a quiet efficiency and clockwork regularity which offer an example of thoroughness without fuss.

Controversy comes and goes, clubs rise and fall, but the man behind the League remains aloof, calmly pursuing a set path and shaping football politics for the common good.

A model in welding its members into a composite whole, the Football League has long been the most admired and envied authority in United Kingdom sport. It started with 12 clubs; now there are 92.

There would be another 20 in it at least if admission to the select circle were half as easy to gain as the wish to join is expressed.

Twenty or more towns in England with populations ranging from 50,000 to 100,000, would be delighted if they were in the position today of newly-elected Southend, Shrewsbury, Colchester and Gillingham.

These clubs belong to the counties of Lincolnshire, Shropshire, Essex and Kent respectively which are not big industrial areas. All four have been trying for years to persuade the League clubs who have voting powers that they command sufficient support to justify their inclusion.

### Extension of membership

The recent extension of the membership from 88 clubs, comprising four divisions of equal numbers, to 92 is the first expansion sanctioned for 27 years.

The new members have found the sympathy of the League Management Committee, a body comprising elected representatives of leading clubs.

All these representatives have the qualifications of elder statesmen and they proposed an increase of the two junior divisions from 22 clubs each to 24.

The following one of the most intensive canvassing campaigns ever experienced in football as a host of applicants tried to convince the voters that their election would benefit the League as well as themselves.

Shrewsbury, a busy market town is noted for a famous Public School; Colchester, the club with a reputation for glancing feints in the Football Association Cup Competition, is a town of Roman antiquity famed for its oysters; and Gillingham, former member which lost League status some years ago, comfortably headed the ballot.

### Out-voted

Worcester, Chelmsford, Peterborough, Yeovil, Nuneaton, and the Welsh aspirants Merthyr and Llanelly were out-voted in the South grouping.

The ballot for the North section put a touch of drama into the proceedings. Election gave way to disappointment, particularly in the case of Wigan.

Shrewsbury got in easily but Wigan and Workington, a club isolated in the far industrial North, tied for second place in the first ballot. Scunthorpe close behind. Another vote was taken. This time Workington were rejected. Wigan and Scunthorpe tied with 15 votes each. A third ballot was necessary. Scunthorpe, a rising, prosperous, semi-industrial town in the Lincolnshire flat lands, received 30 votes and Wigan only 18.

Ambitious Wigan will thus have to wait a year to renew its application. Wigan is a growing industrial and mining town on the main railway line from London to Lancaster.

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### ATOM BOMB USE SUGGESTED

London, July 1. A Conservative M.P., Major Peter Roberts, today renewed his demand that the United Nations use the atomic bomb to halt the Korean war.

The UN, he said in a speech, should threaten to bomb North Korea with atomic weapons if they refuse to halt the invasion of South Korea.—United Press.

### TEA OFF RATION IN AUSTRALIA

Canberra, July 2. Tea rationing will end in Australia tomorrow, the Prime Minister, Mr. Robert Menzies, announced today.

There has been the only food rationing in Australia since the Government lifted butter rationing on June 16. At present the only rationed food is meat.

Mr. Menzies said that the Government had decided to lift the tea rationing because it was no longer necessary.

## Reminders

### Today

European YMCA, whilst drive, 8.30 p.m.  
Urban Council meeting, GPO Bldg., 4.15 p.m.  
Union Jack Club, tombola, 7.30 p.m.  
HK Biological Circle, meeting at Northcote Training College, 8.30 p.m.  
HK Singers rehearsal, St. John's Cathedral hall, 8.30 p.m.

### Coming events

**TOMORROW**  
HK Rotary Club luncheon, Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 12.30 p.m.  
Philippine Independence Day reception at Roof Garden, HK Hotel, 11.30 a.m.  
Nine Dragons Services Club, whilst drive, 8 p.m.  
Chicero Services Club, whilst drive, 7.30 p.m.  
Bridge Drive, European YMCA, 8.30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY

Toe II meeting, 50, Macdonnell Road, 8.30 p.m.  
Union Jack Club, whilst drive, 7.45 p.m.  
Nine Dragons Services Club, dancing class, 8 p.m.

## SLIM'S COMMENT ON KOREA

Singapore, July 2. Field Marshal Sir William Slim, the Chief of the Imperial General Staff, said on his arrival here today by air from Australia that his defence talks with Australian and New Zealand military leaders had been very satisfactory.

But a decision to send Dominion troops to the Korean Peninsula or to Malaya is a matter for the Dominion Governments, he added.

He declined to comment on whether the Korean situation would cause a re-deployment of the British forces in Malaya. It is expected to leave for India on July 6.—Reuter.

## The Russian with the Collarless Neckband

By IRIS ROBER

He was a man of heavy build with big, fleshy hands on which dimples view with dirty fingernails. He wore a shabby suit, a none-too-clean shirt without a collar, but with a stud gleaming nakedly in the neckband, and a workman's cloth cap. Round his wrist were strapped two German watches, one of which was broken.

He was fairly typical of the Russians I have met. His large, pasty face was set to a solid indifference, but the small, dark eyes were shrewd and, despite his bulk, he trod lightly as a cat. His duty, however, gave him occasional keen glances which the lack of intelligence we imputed to him.

To us, however, he was just a great cat, and we called him "gorilla" (wildcat). His own name was unpronounceable anyway.

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Dramatic events like these make the League the great football competition in it.

It is operated not from London, but from modest offices at Preston, Lancashire, where its headquarters have been situated for more than 60 years.

The secretary, Mr. Fred Howarth, himself a Preston man, conducts the League's business with smooth efficiency. The assistant secretary, Mr. T. Charnley, also has his home at Preston. He is a grandson of the man whose sense of discipline and competence helped to build the League years ago.

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## EDUCATION IN CHINA UNDER THE COMMUNISTS

By J. S. YU

Under the Communist rule on the China mainland, education suffers the most. Rigid regulations and unreasonable interference are imposed upon schools of all types.

When Shanghai was "liberated" by the Communists, notice was given to the Principals of grade schools and high schools as well as presidents of colleges and universities to reopen. But at the same time, they were warned that text-books edited and published under the Nationalist Government must not be used.

Teachers were perplexed as to how to conduct their classes without text-books.

Just at the time teachers did not know what to do, the Communists stepped in. They told the teachers to cancel the usual school schedule, and in its place organize the so-called "big class," in which both teachers and students must attend.

What is a "big class" anyway? In nature, it is nothing more than a form of coercion and indoctrination. The teacher, always a Communist, lectures of the theories and principles of Marxism and Leninism as well as the selected writings of Mao Tse-tung and other Chinese Communist leaders.

It is true that students are allowed to raise questions, but when questions raised by students are contrary to what is taught, they are classified as reactionary and consequently, no answers are necessary.

Names of students who have raised "reactionary questions" are taken down by teachers of the "big class" and later on circulated in "Discussion Groups," in which these "reactionary students" are literally mentally tortured until they lose courage to raise questions of the same nature again.

New text books. With the commencement of this school year, new text-books

are published for use in the grade school and high schools. However, due to misclassification, copies printed full short of the actual need. As a result, students were again left without textbooks for another two months or so until additional copies were available.

In this respect, the writer, writing with the condition of Shanghai in mind, but he is told that in smaller cities and towns, it is no exaggeration that students are without textbooks for the entire semester.

Six months ago, the Communist Ministry of Education in Peking issued a school order in which holidays are fixed, with the order that it should be adhered to. However, actual conditions in different parts of the China mainland show that schools declare holidays so frequently that one finds it difficult to keep track of them. The birthday of Stalin was declared a holiday this year.

Last year, students were asked to join in the propaganda on the evils of black market, and schools were closed for several days. In fact, there are very few days left in a week when you do not see students parading on the streets in most cases, what is said and written by the Communist leaders in Peking sounds reasonable, but when it is carried down to the local authority, its very nature is immediately changed.

"To suit the local condition" is always the excuse the local authority gives when they are challenged as to why they have changed the very nature of Peking's order.

Thought control. Are conditions in colleges and universities in anyway better? For a father who has a son now studying in a university in Shanghai, his answer to this question is flatly: "No." On the contrary, the control over the thought of these young men and women is even stronger. This is how they go about to accomplish it. With the opening of the fall semester, an entire month was set aside for students and professors to attend the "big class." It is also reported that before school closes for the summer vacation, another ten days will be reserved for the purpose of criticism and self-criticism, when every school activity will be scrutinized according to standards set up by the Communist Party. With both the beginning and end of a school semester considered a very short period of time indeed, it is left for students to attend to their school work, but even such a short period of a little more than three months is frequently interrupted by official holidays and demonstrations.

It is reported that a committee is appointed in Peking to translate Soviet Russian college textbooks for use in Chinese colleges and universities, but up to the present, no new college textbook has been published since the "liberation" of the China mainland. Most colleges are using the old textbooks. The responsibility is placed by the Communists on the shoulders of college professors to see to it that nothing new is allowed in the classrooms. They are actually watched through covered agencies to see that this order is carried out. At the beginning of each school term, the professor must submit his detailed outline of teaching materials to a "local discussion group" of party members participating for approval.

In many occasions, these outlines are turned down. New outlines must be written and approved before he is allowed to start his classes. Literally college professors are living in an atmosphere of constant fear, because failure to obey this standing order means dismissal or "re-education."

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## U.S. shipping warned off Korean waters

Washington, July 2.

The U.S. Maritime Administration has advised all American ships of a military warning to stay out of Korean waters.

President Truman has ordered a naval blockade of the entire Korean coast.

A Maritime Administration spokesman said on Saturday that telegrams were dispatched on Friday night to the shipping companies, relaying a warning notice from General MacArthur's headquarters.

Defence Department officials, however, said that they did not know of any direct move by General MacArthur or Pentagon Headquarters for the issuance of such a warning by maritime officials.

Officers commented that a cautionary note to shipping people would only be normal for an area of hostilities.

The State Department, too, professed to be in the dark about any outside suggestion to the Maritime Administration that it was shipping.

The Department did, however, send the Maritime Administration official notice of President Truman's declaration of a blockade.—Associated Press.

## S'hai ruling on duty-exempt commodities

The Chinese authorities in Shanghai have issued an announcement forbidding certain former "privileged" foreigners and foreign organisations to dispose of any unpaid duty import commodities prior to their declaration to the Chinese Customs for examination and assessment for Customs duty.

The announcement is believed here to refer especially to foreign consular officials and organisations which, prior to the change over in Shanghai, were granted duty exemption privileges for importing commodities either for private or official use under the special regulations enforced at that time.

Very few of the many consular officials in Shanghai have been recognised by the Chinese People's Government.

Recent investigations have brought to light holders of duty-exempt commodities often unload their holdings on the open market, the Chinese announcement was reported to have said.

In future, it added, when foreigners desire to dispose of such duty-exempt shipments they must first produce the original duty exemption certificates to the Foreign Affairs Department of the Shanghai Military Control Commission for endorsement.—Reuter.

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By Order,

S. A. SLEAP,

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Hong Kong, 3rd July, 1950.

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W. F. C. JENNER,  
Acting Commissioner  
of Registration.

June 30, 1950.

## THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Board Room of the Company, Room No. 308, Queen's Building, Hong Kong, on Friday the 7th July, 1950, at noon for the following purposes:—

- To receive and consider the Statement of Accounts and Balance Sheet and the Report of the Directors and Auditors thereon.
- To declare a dividend.
- To elect Directors.
- To appoint Auditors and fix their remuneration.
- To transact any other ordinary business of the Company.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be closed from the 1st July, 1950 to the 7th July, 1950, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. STORRAR,

Acting Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, June 21, 1950.

## Dulles on Communist aggression in Korea

Washington, July 1.

Mr. John Foster Dulles said tonight "South Korea was attacked because the Communists seem to have felt they could not tolerate this hopeful, attractive Asipic experiment in democracy."

The Republican policy adviser to the State Department added: "A second reason for the North Korean aggression was a desire to place Japan between the upper and lower jaws of the Russian bear."

In a radio broadcast, Mr. Dulles said that the Communists control territory to the North of Japan and that conquest of all Korea would give them a similar foothold to the South.

"More difficult to make it more difficult to provide the Japanese people with security, as self-governing, unarmed members of the free world," he said.

Mr. Dulles, who returned this week from a trip to Japan and

Korea, indicated that he disagreed with Republican lawmakers who have criticized the Administration's Far Eastern policy as it existed before the outbreak of war in Korea.

"Broadly speaking," he said "the United States was developing policies to check the rising tide of Communism in Asia and the Pacific. The Communist leaders doubtless expect their action in Korea to dislocate our plans."

"They will, I think, be disappointed."

## New phase

The Western world had up to now hoped that the Communists would limit their violent actions to internal disturbances, he said, and added: "The Korean attack marks a new phase in Communist recklessness."

"If the members of the UN sat idly by and did nothing to repel the present armed attack, then almost certainly that method would be used elsewhere. One country after another would be conquered by Red armies and the result would be to make a third world war almost certain."

"Also, by that time, the Russian position would be so strong that the U.S. and other remnants of the free world would be in great peril."

"As things stand now," Mr. Dulles said, "it seems that the immediate risk is not general war, but rather that of an experimental probing effort by the Communists to find out whether, under present world conditions, armed aggression pays. This is a military experiment must fail."—Associated Press.

## TROUBLE AT UNIVERSITY

Berkeley, July 1. The University of California took aim today at a group of employees who refused to sign a non-Communist oath, after pointing its initial blast at a young assistant.

Fired from his job on Friday and barred from the University's top-secret radiation laboratory was William Cartwright, a 23-year-old graduate student. His dismissal came as a result of a decision taken by the Board of Regents on June 23 not to renew the contracts of 157 of the employees who refused to sign the non-Communist oath.

Cartwright received notice of his separation in a letter from George Evers, director of scientific personnel. The letter offered Cartwright his job back in August if he would sign the oath. Cartwright gave no indication whether he will comply with the order. He still has one year's work in physics to complete before he receives his doctor's degree.

The action was the first against the group of 250 employees who have refused to sign the oath.—United Press.

## BELGRADE LIFTS TRAVEL BAN

Belgrade, July 2. Yugoslavia today lifted travel restrictions on all foreign residents and tourists, except those from Communist countries.

"They will now enjoy the same freedom of movement as diplomats who have been able to move at will anywhere in the country except in a 10-mile strip along the border."

The ban on travel still applies to diplomats and citizens of Russia and those Communist States who do not allow freedom of movement to Yugoslavia in their countries.—Reuter.

## PAU MEETING

Paris, July 2. M. Albert Sarraut, chief French delegate, was today unanimously elected permanent Chairman of the plenary sessions of the conference of representatives of France, Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos, which is being held at Pau, South West France.

The conference, which began yesterday, had been called to fill in the final details of France's "New Deal" in Indo-China.—Reuter.

## New York, July 1.

Twenty-five New York traffic accidents between last evening and noon today saw thousands of Americans jammed the roads, travel to the city holiday—Reuter.

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## CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Why are some of these foreign nations so ungrateful? We're promising them practically the same things we promise our own constituents!"

## BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

PROTECTS A MAJOR BID  
HAVING a good fit for the minor suit by your partner gives you a special advantage. Knowing that his suit constitutes a point of refuge, you can soundly take a chance on bidding a four-card major suit of indifferent honour strength—that is, if he is a player who is not too addicted to supporting your suite with only three cards. By showing your major, you give him an option of proceeding with it or seeing into the minor in which you know there is a fit.

S 7  
H Q 7 6 3  
D K Q 8 7 2  
C Q

S Q 10 8 6  
H 8 4  
D J 4 3  
C K J 5

S A K 4 3  
H 5 4  
D 10 6  
C A 10 9 8

S J 5 2  
H A K J 9 2  
D A 5  
C 7 4

(Dealer: East. Both sides vulnerable.)

1. C 1H 2C 4H  
5C Dbl  
2. 1C 1H 1S 4H  
4S  
3. 1C 1H 2C 4H  
5C 5H

Note what happened at Table 1 and 3 of a small duplicate, because West saw fit to raise his partner's clubs. After North's shutout jump to 4-Hearts, the East-player in each instance was afraid to show his spades at 4-Spades. Each felt that, if he bid that suit, his partner might think the original 1-Club was a "short club" bid on perhaps only two or

three cards, and that West therefore might leave the spade bid in without adequate support for the suit. So East at both tables bid 5-Clubs. South reacted differently to that at the two tables, in one case doubling the contract and beating it a trick, in the other case bidding 5-Hearts and making it for a top.

Where West saw fit to bid 1-Spade instead of raising the clubs, the 4-Heart bid by North did not present any difficult problem for East. He was able, without worry, to call 4-Spades. South obviously could have gone on to 5-Hearts, but feared that might be too high in view of his partner's pre-emptive jump. Furthermore, he thought his four trumps might result in setting the contract. So he passed, so did North and as a consequence West made the 4-Spades for a clear-cut East-West top. West's club fit made his spade bid non-risky, and it paid rich dividends.

Tomorrow's Problem  
S 5 3  
H K 3 4  
D 8 7 5  
C A 8 6 4 3

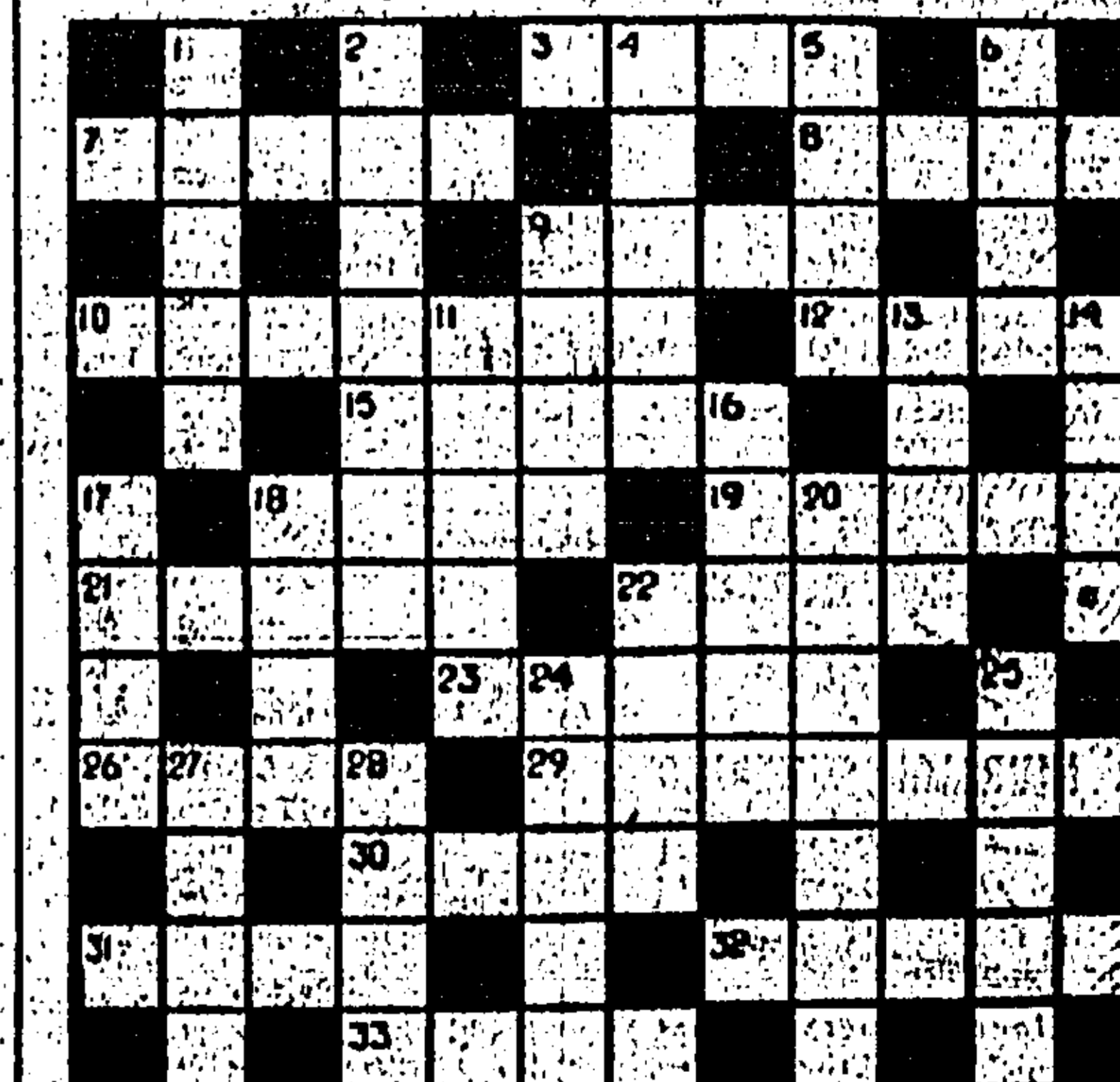
S 6  
H 10 9 6 2  
D 9 6 3 2  
C J 10 5

S J 10 8 2  
H Q 3  
D A K Q  
C 10 4

S A K Q 9 7 4  
H A J 7 5  
D 7  
C Q 9

(Dealer: East. North-South vulnerable.)  
If East bid diamonds twice, and finally doubled South's 4-Spades, how should declarer play upon club bid on perhaps only two or

## A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



## Across

- Ascend
- Welcome
- Laxy
- Smock
- Age
- Jug
- Andy
- Protuberance
- Stadium
- Do what

## Down

- one's bid
- Grow old
- Flowed back
- Stuck
- Church
- screen
- Legal document
- Stupid
- Extinct
- Present

## Saturday's Crossword

ACROSS—1. Elixir. 2. Empty. 3. Flung. 4. Accented. 5. Ocean. 6. Impeccable. 7. Elated. 8. Felt. 9. Laid. 10. Laid. 11. Laid. 12. Laid. 13. Laid. 14. Laid. 15. Laid. 16. Laid. 17. Laid. 18. Laid. 19. Laid. 20. Laid. 21. Laid. 22. Laid. 23. Laid. 24. Laid. 25. Laid. 26. Laid. 27. Laid. 28. Laid. 29. Laid. 30. Laid. 31. Laid. 32. Laid. 33. Laid. 34. Laid. 35. Laid. 36. Laid. 37. Laid. 38. Laid. 39. Laid. 40. Laid. 41. Laid. 42. Laid. 43. Laid. 44. Laid. 45. Laid. 46. Laid. 47. Laid. 48. Laid. 49. Laid. 50. Laid. 51. Laid. 52. Laid. 53. Laid. 54. Laid. 55. Laid. 56. Laid. 57. Laid. 58. Laid. 59. Laid. 60. Laid. 61. Laid. 62. Laid. 63. Laid. 64. Laid. 65. Laid. 66. Laid. 67. Laid. 68. Laid. 69. Laid. 70. Laid. 71. Laid. 72. Laid. 73. Laid. 74. Laid. 75. Laid. 76. Laid. 77. Laid. 78. Laid. 79. Laid. 80. Laid. 81. Laid. 82. Laid. 83. Laid. 84. Laid. 85. Laid. 86. Laid. 87. Laid. 88. Laid. 89. Laid. 90. Laid. 91. Laid. 92. Laid. 93. Laid. 94. Laid. 95. Laid. 96. Laid. 97. Laid. 98. Laid. 99. Laid. 100. Laid.



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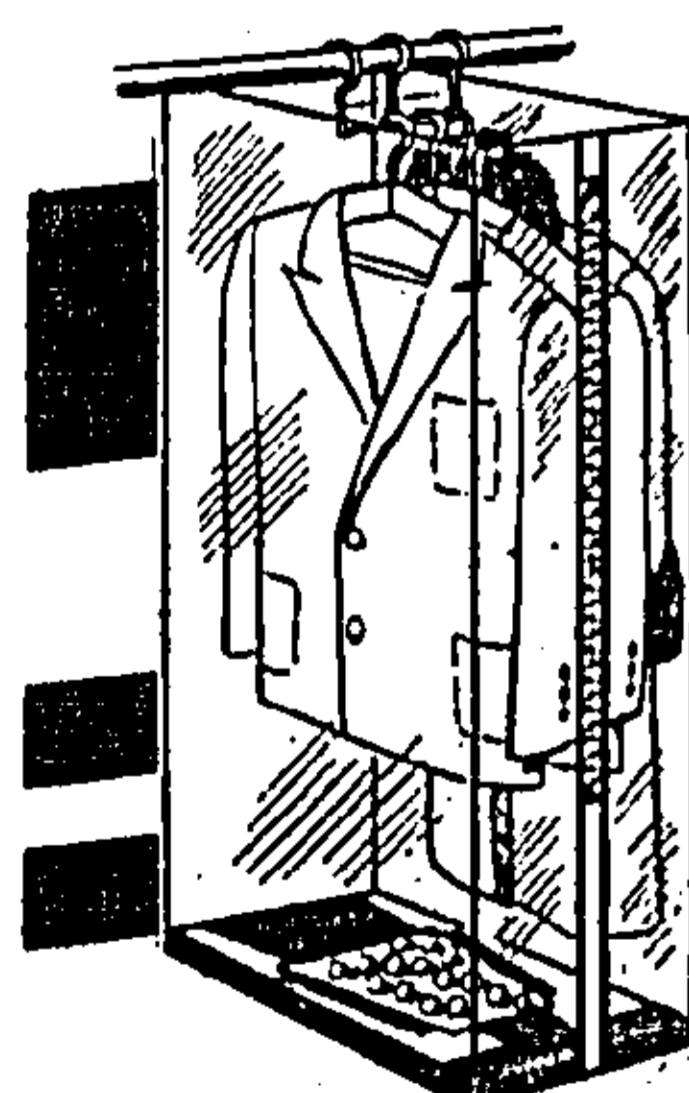


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### IN MEMORIAM

THE LATE CAPT. P. J. MALEY.  
A Memorial Service will be  
held today (Monday), at  
5 p.m., at the Mission Church,  
Seamen's Institute, 40 Glou-  
cester Road. Friends are in-  
vited to attend.

### BIRTH

OWEN—On 2nd July at Queen  
Mary Hospital to Owen, wife  
of Surg. Lt. William L. Owen  
R.N., a son.

### COMMONWEALTH & KOREA

The People's Government in  
Peking has concentrated upon  
the Taiwan issue in its public  
reactions to the present crisis.  
It accuses the United States  
of aggression and interference  
in the internal affairs of  
China. About the resolution  
of the United Nations Security  
Council on Korea, and the  
rights and wrongs of the  
Korean conflict, it has remained  
silent. It has expressed  
no sympathy for the North  
Korean regime on the "attack"  
to which it claims it was sub-  
jected; nor has it condemned  
South Korea for "aggression."  
Unlike President Truman,  
who linked the two issues to-  
gether, Peking seems to have  
kept them separate, and that  
action is certainly much more  
adroit. The only broad link  
between them lies in Mr. Mao  
Tse-tung's "hands off Asia"  
statement to the Government  
Council after it had heard Mr.  
Chou En-lai's report on the  
international situation.

Whether it was wise to con-  
fuse an issue of civil war with  
an issue of aggression remains  
to be seen. The development  
of which the Security Council  
took cognisance was the in-  
vasion of South Korea. On  
this the whole free world has  
shown remarkable unanimity.  
This is particularly true of  
the Commonwealth. The lead  
was quite properly given by  
the United Kingdom, which  
immediately placed British  
Naval forces in Japanese  
waters at the disposal of the  
United States authorities on  
behalf of the Security Coun-  
cil in support of South Korea.  
Mr. Attlee's announcement on  
this effect was forthwith ap-  
proved by Mr. Churchill and  
also by the leader of the  
Liberal Party.

This action was followed by  
the similar decision of the  
Australian Government. The  
British Prime Minister, in in-  
forming the House of Com-  
mons of this, also referred to  
Press reports that Australia  
is retaining the occupation  
troops in Japan till the emer-  
gency is past. The New  
Zealand and Canadian Gov-  
ernments also affirmed their  
support of the Security Coun-  
cil's resolution calling for aid  
to repel the armed attack by  
North Korea and to restore  
peace.

Any suggestion that the  
Security Council was not  
competent to take decisions to  
deal with the breach of the  
peace in Korea on account of  
the Soviet Government's ab-  
sence from the Council is re-  
jected by legal opinion. The  
practice has been accepted in  
the Council of regarding the  
abstention of a permanent  
member as constituting no  
veto on the Council's deci-  
sions even on substantive  
matters.

In reply to a question by  
Mr. Fletcher about the Gov-  
ernment's attitude to Pres-  
ident Truman's reference to  
Indo-China and the bearing of  
this on the defence of Malaya,

This is the first of a series of articles, by well-known journalists, entitled "My most exciting as-  
signment."

## FOUNTAIN PEN SINISTER

By  
**G.D.K. McCormick**

anonymous telephone message  
which said:

"Lay off stories about must-  
ard gas fountain pens. They  
may do you a lot of harm, and  
they're not true in any case. I  
know all about you and where  
you got the story."

I didn't think any more about  
the message, which I could have  
sworn was delivered in a soft  
Irish brogue, until some weeks  
later when I caught the night  
boat-train from Euston to Dublin.  
In the meantime I had done  
quite a lot of research on the  
fountain pen gun. Weapon ex-  
perts in London admitted they  
had heard of this device being  
used by American gangsters, but  
said this was the first indication  
of its use in Britain.

It seemed fairly obvious that  
the writer was an accident vic-  
tim. Some careless stooge of the  
gunners—perhaps a member of  
the IRA—had dropped the hush-  
hush weapon.

From various sources I learned  
that the IRA had agents in the  
U.S.A. who had not only raised  
funds from Irish-American sym-  
pathisers, but had bought weap-  
ons to be stored in hidden  
dumps in Eire.

### Trip to Eire

A large quantity of arms had  
been landed in lonely bays on the  
West coast of Eire. My news  
editor urged me to follow up my  
inquiries by a trip to Eire.

I was reading my evening  
paper in the boat-train when I  
saw a man in a tweed suit who  
was being watched. Opposite me  
was a man in a tweed suit. His eyes  
fixed on me with a prolonged  
stare.

I turned back to my paper and  
went on reading. I looked up  
again. Still that penetrating  
stare. At dinner he was in the  
dining car, still watching. At  
Holyhead as we left the train for  
the Dublin boat he sidled up to  
me and said:

"You may not remember me,  
but I know all about you. I can  
tell you you are wanted in your  
time in Dublin. You'll find out  
nothing there. It's much safer

for you to forget your trip and go  
back to London."

It flashed across my mind—was  
this the mysterious man who had  
telephoned me?

It seemed silly to pretend I  
did not know what he was talking  
about, so I just said: "What  
do you know, and what do you  
mean? Ireland's a friendly coun-  
try, and I'm just a journalist  
doing his job."

"That's what the boys of the  
London papers thought in the  
Black and Tan troubles. But  
they were wrong. It's dangerous  
to meddle in civil wars."

By this time we were on the  
boat together. There was nothing  
to be done about it. The Irish-  
man in the tweed suit and I ate  
meat pies while the boat thrashed  
across the Irish Sea towards  
Dublin.

Then came the irresistible  
touch of generosity which with  
the Irish is a disconcerting  
blend of sincerity and blarney.

It's hard to tell where the blar-  
ney ends and the sincerity begins.  
Nevertheless I now feel that in  
this case the sincerity was real if  
belated.

"You won't get a story in  
Dublin on your own. When you  
get back your editor will fire  
you. But I'll tell you what to do.  
Take this address and go and talk  
to the boys. Say it was Timothy  
who sent you. They'll know."

I didn't see the man again.  
At Dublin we shook hands and  
parted. After a hurried break-  
fast I set out in quest of facts  
about the I.R.A. which had gone  
underground since de Valera's  
ban.

Timothy was right. I didn't  
get the story I wanted on my  
own. Official Dublin was helpful,  
but it wasn't the right sort of  
help. I got every sort of possible  
line except the address of the  
I.R.A. hide-out.

In desperation I thought of  
Timothy's scrap of paper. It  
directed me to "the loft above  
the printing works in — Street,  
Dublin." I decided to investigate.

### An anticlimax

I entered the printing works  
and mentioned Timothy's name.

## KOREA COULD HAVE BEEN SO HAPPY

By William  
Hardcastle

The tired State Department  
man had been in conference  
all night. But he smiled wryly  
when he said: "Yes, we think  
it's damned serious—it's  
most as if they were invading  
a bit of America."

He was pinpointing the over-  
riding importance of South Korea  
in the ever-developing clash be-  
tween Communism and the  
Western World in the Far East.

Korea owes its very existence  
as a sovereign nation to Amer-  
ica's leading sponsorship. Should  
it fall to invasion from the North  
it would be a tremendous blow  
to America's prestige throughout  
the whole of the rest of the Far  
East.

### Partition victim

It would gravely weaken the  
morale of those countries—Indo-  
China is a prime example—who  
lay in the path of the  
borderline between an alliance  
with Communism or trusting in  
the friendship of the West.

Korea is another of those hap-  
less little countries caught in the  
middle of, and dismembered by,  
the vicious diplomatic struggle.

It could be a happy country  
and its 20,000,000 people could  
live well off its rich resources.  
But it fell sick of that modern  
territorial disease—"partition."

Russia and the United States  
could not agree on its future. So  
it became two countries. North  
and South of the line which the  
American and Russian occupation  
forces had taken up at the time  
of the Jap surrender—the  
Thirty-Eighth Parallel.

It was like cutting a human  
body in half. In the North lay  
the industrial resources; in the  
South the farmland and the rice  
paddies.

It has been one of the world's  
trouble spots ever since.

Russia has refused to co-  
operate with the Commissions sent

### CANADIAN NAVAL ACTIVITY

Esquimalt, British Columbia,  
July 1.

Naval activity here was lifted  
secret as three destroyers pre-  
pared today for possible police  
duty in the Pacific.

A Naval spokesman said the  
cruisers were staying away from  
the coast, and the ships would  
sail for Pearl Harbour early next  
week.—United Press.

### POPE'S HOPE

Vatican City July 1.  
Pope Pius told 20,000 pilgrims  
light "the hope God will keep  
far from the world the scourge of  
war and will inspire all peoples  
with counsels of peace"—Reuter.

Eyed with suspicion by a sour-  
looking foreman, I was shown up  
a wooden ladder into the loft.

Here I saw a huge, tough-look-  
ing man mending a bicycle punc-  
ture. It was an anticlimax in a  
way. I expected something  
melodramatic—a posse of secret  
agents with drawn revolvers, or  
something like that.

"So Timothy sent you, did  
he?" asked the tall, tough man,  
still attending to his bicycle.

He motioned to one of his men,  
and I had my pockets frisked.  
"We have to take precautions,"  
he added, darkly.

After a long interrogation as  
to the reasons of my visit to Eire  
the tall man revealed his identity.  
He was Frank Ryan, ex I.R.A.  
leader, who had now broken with  
the terrorist extremists in the  
underground band.

For a long while he talked  
about Irish politics. Then he  
said: "You shall have your fun  
and your story. But there is one  
condition—you must agree to be  
blindfolded to go to your  
assignment."

Frank Ryan, that gallant  
stormy petrel who later fought in  
the Spanish civil wars and defied  
the Gestapo in a German prison,  
was nothing if not chivalrous.  
Despite his fiery temper he was  
incapable of a mean trick. He  
inspired one with trust.

Anyhow, foolishly or other-  
wise, I agreed to be blindfolded  
and to be taken by car to see a  
midnight rally of the extremist  
I.R.A. group.

After a few hours' drive out  
to the Wicklow Mountains the  
hardage was taken off my eyes  
and I was shown the midnight  
"test mobilisation" of the un-  
derground army. There wasn't  
much military might—just an  
assortment of lorries and vans, a  
few machine-guns and some  
rifles.

But it demonstrated that I.R.A.  
headquarters could call out its  
members in any area in an  
emergency.

I was blindfolded again and  
taken back to Dublin. I went  
home and wrote my story.

I never again heard from  
Timothy or received any strange  
telephone calls. But when the  
bombs started to explode in Lon-  
don two years later I wondered  
just what part the mustard-gas  
gun was intended to play in it all.

As far as I know it was not  
used.

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"Struggling boy carried off  
ferry."  
He did? Where to?

"When a married woman  
becomes attractive to other men,  
she becomes more attractive to  
her husband."  
Or is divorced.

Correspondent in a Sydney  
paper asks if there is any emigrant  
with a longer name than Mrs.  
Cernodoloviene.  
It's hard to say.

Another of our contemporary's  
interesting news items, reprinted  
in its entirety:  
"Memphis, Tenn.—(UP)—Mrs.  
Walter Summerfield wondered  
why one of her hyacinth bulbs  
didn't bloom as the others had.  
She started digging."

Expressionless, the judge sat on  
the bench for a long, long time,  
while the barrister addressed the  
court endlessly. Finally the judge  
despatched him a note. It read:  
"Patience competition."

"Gold medal—me."  
"Honourable mention—Job."  
The lawyer wound up in a  
hurry.

Nuisance value.  
"During the day, 10 lost  
children were found by police  
and attendants, and restored to  
their unhappy parents."

"Journalism students spend  
three to four years at New York  
University, and then for the most  
part pass into obscurity."  
Here—here's a handkerchief.

The orderly officer entered the  
dining hall and asked the men if  
there were any complaints.  
One recruit sprang up and  
complained that he had found a  
cigarette-end on the edge of his  
plate.

"Good heavens, man!" exclaimed  
the officer. "What did you  
expect—a packet of 20?"

"What was Mrs. Jones talking  
about?"  
"Business."  
"But whose?"

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# AMERICA FORCED TO REVIEW POLICY IN THE FAR EAST

Washington, July 1.

The fact that the Communists were willing to launch a military drive to take South Korea has forced a far-reaching review of American policy towards the Far East.

Administration officials trying to determine why the fighting has gone so badly against the Southerners this week said today that they do not intend to leave a similar point of weakness open to a Communist assault anywhere else if it can be avoided.

Inquiry among responsible authorities disclosed that the Communist invasion at dawn last Sunday virtually destroyed the basis of much of United States policy in Asia and the West Pacific.

## CALL FOR JOINT WAR EFFORT

Washington, July 1.

To aid the fight against Communism in Asia, Senator Harry P. Cain, Republican, Washington, suggested today that the Army take selected volunteers from Japan, China and the Philippines.

"If this is truly a joint effort to stop Communism in its tracks in North Korea, then the sooner we get some selected and trained men from those people the better," Senator Cain told a reporter.

He noted that Congress already has given its approval for recruiting a small group of aliens for the Army.

Senator John D. Lodge, Republican, Massachusetts, who sponsored the legislation, believed it would allow the Army to enlist Japanese, Chinese and others anxious to battle Communism.

In the Senate, meanwhile, Senator William F. Knowland, Republican, California, said any decision on the use of Chinese Nationalist divisions in the Korean war should be left to General MacArthur.

Senator Knowland said the Nationalist Government had offered several divisions of their best trained troops now based on Taiwan to serve under General MacArthur.

Senator Knowland called attention to an editorial in today's "Washington Post" which he said "indicates that we should turn down such an offer."

The "Post" said: "If such an offer were for a moment entertained by the United States, the consequences might well be disastrous."

The editorial added: "It would most certainly lead to a Chinese Communist invasion of Korea in support of the North Koreans."

Senator Knowland told the Senate: "With the exception of our own forces in Japan, they (the Chinese forces on Taiwan) are the only substantial body of troops that can reach Korea in the next few critical days."

"The decision on the need of accepting the offer of troops from the Republic of China should be left to the decision of our commander in the Far East."

Senator Knowland said the "Post" was "apparently speaking for a faction in the State Department who are more interested in carrying on their personal feud with the government of the Republic of China than they are in facing up to the realities of the menace of this new outcropping of overt Communist aggression in Korea."

Associated Press.

## RAF TO BE SENT TO KOREA WAR

London, July 1.

Official sources said Royal Air Force units would be Britain's next contribution to the United Nations forces fighting the Communist invasion of South Korea.

Britain already has placed Royal Navy units at the disposal of General Douglas MacArthur, and officials here said the British contribution would, for the present at least, be confined to sea and air forces.

A War Office spokesman said there was no basis to reports that British troops in South East Asia had been ordered to go to Korea.

Officials said the use of British troops in Korea would be considered if need arose, but it was now thought that the ground forces at present in the Far East could not be spared from Communist-infested Malaya nor from Hong Kong.—United Press.

## MR. GRIFFITHS ON KOREA

London, July 1.

The Colonial Secretary, James Griffiths, declared today that the United States and Britain were only doing in Korea what they should have done in Manchuria in 1930 and Ethiopia in 1935.

"I have always had the feeling," Mr. Griffiths told a Labour Party rally in Newton, "that if only in Manchuria in 1930 and in Abyssinia in 1935 we had put a halt to the fighting there we might have stopped war in 1939. That is why we decided as we did last week."—United Press.

## WORLD WAR UNLIKELY TOGLIATTI

Rome, July 1.

Signor Palmiro Togliatti, Italian Communist leader, today told Italian Communists that the Korean fighting was not likely to lead to a third world war because Russia was the strongest country in the world and was "led by profoundly humane men."

"In the whole world the balance of forces is in favour of the peoples of the United Nations," Togliatti said. "The Communists wrote in an article to appear tomorrow in 'Unita,' Italian Communist Party newspaper."

"The more time passes, the more the balance shifts in favour of this Front led by the Soviet Union," he said.

"This maddens the Imperialist rules, provokes them to every kind of adventure, every crime. Happily, the leaders of the Soviet Union, firm in their struggle against Imperialism and for peace, do not lose their heads."

Regarded as one of the most authoritative Communist spokesmen outside the Iron Curtain, Signor Togliatti said that without the humanity of Soviet leaders the fate of Western civilization would already be uncertain.

"Their tranquillity, their continuous action for a return to collaboration between all countries, for an end to intervention in the affairs of others, for the isolation of the most aggressive Imperialists, is a guarantee of peace and life for all peoples of the world," he said.—Reuter.

## ELECTION OF SERB PATRIARCH

Belgrade, July 1.

The bells of the Serbian Orthodox Church chimed out today for the election of Vukobrat Prodanov as Patriarch of the Church and spiritual guide for 9,000,000 of his faith.

In a solemn centuries-old ceremony, the 59-year-old grey-bearded son of a tailor was chosen in secret ballot by high officials of the Church to succeed the late Patriarch Gavrilovic, who died on May 7.

It ended a stalemate which began on June 20 over the choice of a new Patriarch and which ended in postponement of the election for lack of a quorum—unofficially reported as a result of disagreement between Church and State on the choice of leader.

Prodanov was elected on the first ballot today with a total of 33 votes against 25 for the second choice for Metropolitan Arsenije of Montenegro.

The ballots were then burned. After the votes were counted, the new Patriarch donned richly embroidered ceremonial green robes and the crown of his rank and conducted a Mass of thanksgiving.

The formal induction ceremony will take place tomorrow.—Associated Press.

## No discussion with Russia

Washington, July 1.

Officials said today the United States at this time does not intend to enter another diplomatic discussion with Russia on the Korean war.

Replying on Thursday to the American note, Moscow charged that South Korea attacked North Korea and that the United Nations intervention is illegal. These charges are regarded as untrue.

4. State Department officials flatly denied another charge by Moscow that Nationalist China had entered into a secret military pact which calls for an invasion of Communist China.

The contention was made in the Russian "Literary Gazette."—Associated Press and United Press.

## CONSCRIPTION IN AUSTRALIA

Sydney, July 1.

The Sydney newspaper "The Sunday Sun" today reported in a despatch from Canberra that the Australian Cabinet had instructed army commands to speed plans for compulsory military training schemes in Australia.

"The Korean attack meant a big shake-up in defence plans as its success would constitute a grave danger to Australia," the paper said.

"It has also been decided that defences in Papua and New Guinea, now practically nonexistent, must be built up."—Reuter.

## SMALLER PAPERS FOR BRITAIN

London, July 1.

Average size of British daily papers will be reduced from seven to six pages effective from Monday morning.

Sunday papers will be reduced to nine-page averages, effective from July 9.

The new restrictions will also reduce weeklies, now averaging 10 pages, to eight or nine pages.—United Press.

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## Cabinet meets today: mobilisation denial

London, July 1.

The Cabinet is expected to review the Korean situation and Britain's contribution to the joint defence of Southern Korea when it meets again on Monday.

The Ministry of Defence today discounted reports that special preparations were under way for the calling up of British reserves, the mobilisation of which can be affected any time through the standing machinery for recalling men demobilised since the war.

Demobilisation papers of all men leaving the forces in the post-war years have stipulated the liability to recall at any time on order of emergency regulations.

Only a Cabinet decision would be necessary to set the machinery in motion again for the immediate expansion of the present serving strength in the Army, Navy and Air Force.

The spokesman said that Britain now has 421,200 regulars in the three armed services plus 200,000 conscripts under the National Service System. The conscripts, who serve for 18 months, can be sent abroad the same as in the case of regulars.—Reuter and Associated Press.

## NEW DELHI NOT LINING UP WITH ANY BLOC

New Delhi, July 1.

The Indian Government reiterated today that there is no question of alignment with any bloc in its support of the Security Council resolution calling on the United Nations to aid South Korea.

An official source explained that India's stand is limited to the Korean situation. Its policy is unchanged regarding Taiwan and Indo-China.

India has withdrawn recognition of the Chinese Nationalist Government and established relations with the Peking Communist Government. It has not yet recognised any Indo-China government on the ground that neither contending regime has yet proved it has the people's support.

"India's alignment is with those nations opposing aggression," the Government spokesman said.

"So far this applies only in the case of Korea. Otherwise India maintains a neutral policy."

The spokesman could not disclose the nature of India's reply to the United Nations Secretary-General, Trygve Lie's communication asking what aid India, among the other United Nations members, was prepared to give South Korea. Drafting of a reply was not yet completed.

An authoritative source said that India's support of South Korea is likely to be limited to moral support, India's Navy and Air Force are small and the Army, while larger, is needed at home—in Kashmir particularly, the source said.

At the same time the source made it clear that India's action is not mere lip service.

In Karachi, in a formal statement on her attitude to the Korean fighting, Pakistan confirmed her pledge of support for the Security Council action in dealing with the situation.

An official announcement said: "The Government of Pakistan has taken due note of the finding of the Security Council that the hostilities now in progress in Korea, constitute aggression on the part of North Korea."

"As already announced by the Prime Minister of Pakistan, Liaquat Ali Khan, they will give their full support to any measures proposed by the Security Council to deal with the situation."

In New York, Liaquat Ali Khan, Prime Minister of Pakistan, said that Pakistan had accepted the United Nations resolution on Korea realising full well what the implications are.

Speaking before leaving the United States by air after a two-month visit he added: "Pakistan will play its part within the United Nations and within its means."

In Athens, an informed source said that the Greek Government

## REDS MASSING NEAR POTSDAM

Berlin, July 1.

Soviet troops and East German "police," armed with tanks and mortars, were reported to have massed in growing numbers outside the Berlin suburb of Potsdam.

Allied intelligence officials said they had received reports from German sources that Soviet troops and 25,000 "police" were massed at Kramnitz. These reports said the combined force had staged a manoeuvre in which Britain's Gatow airport was "captured."

It was the first time that such a large number of "police" had been reported near Berlin.

The West Berlin power stations worked at full capacity meanwhile to counter the Soviet ordered severance of power supply for the Western sector from East Berlin's main power plant. All lights in West Berlin were kept blazing despite the shut-down. No rationing or shortages are expected.—United Press.

LEAFLET RAID ON BIRMINGHAM

Birmingham, July 1.

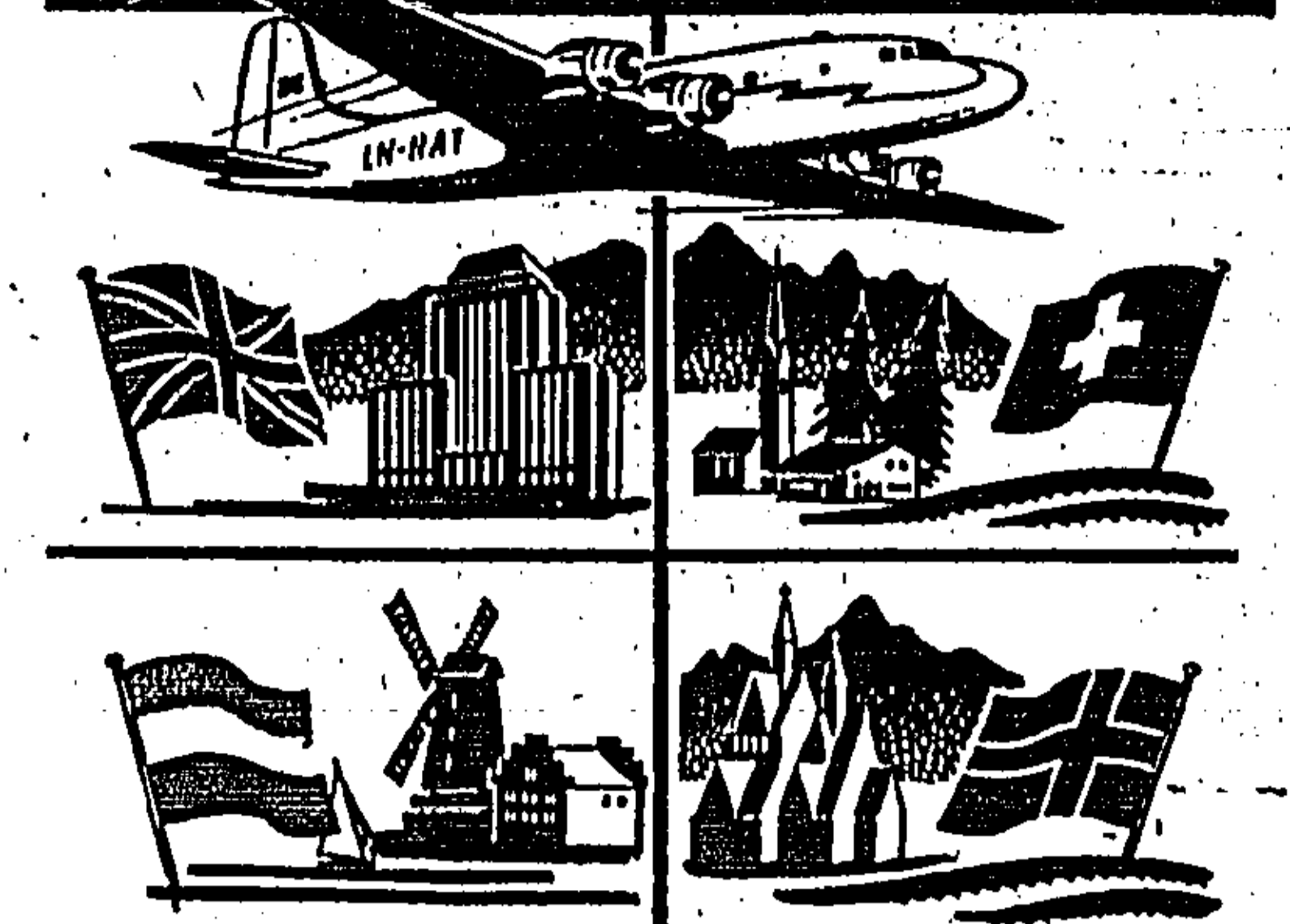
A civilian plane flew over this industrial city today, dropping leaflets calling for "Hands off Korea" on thousands of weekend shoppers.

The leaflets were similar to those handed out to workers outside local factories by Communist organisers. Police are investigating the incidents.—United Press.

London, July 1.

The Communist Party of China has now more than 5,000,000 members of whom 1,200,000 are serving in the Peoples' Army, the Peking radio said tonight.—Reuter.

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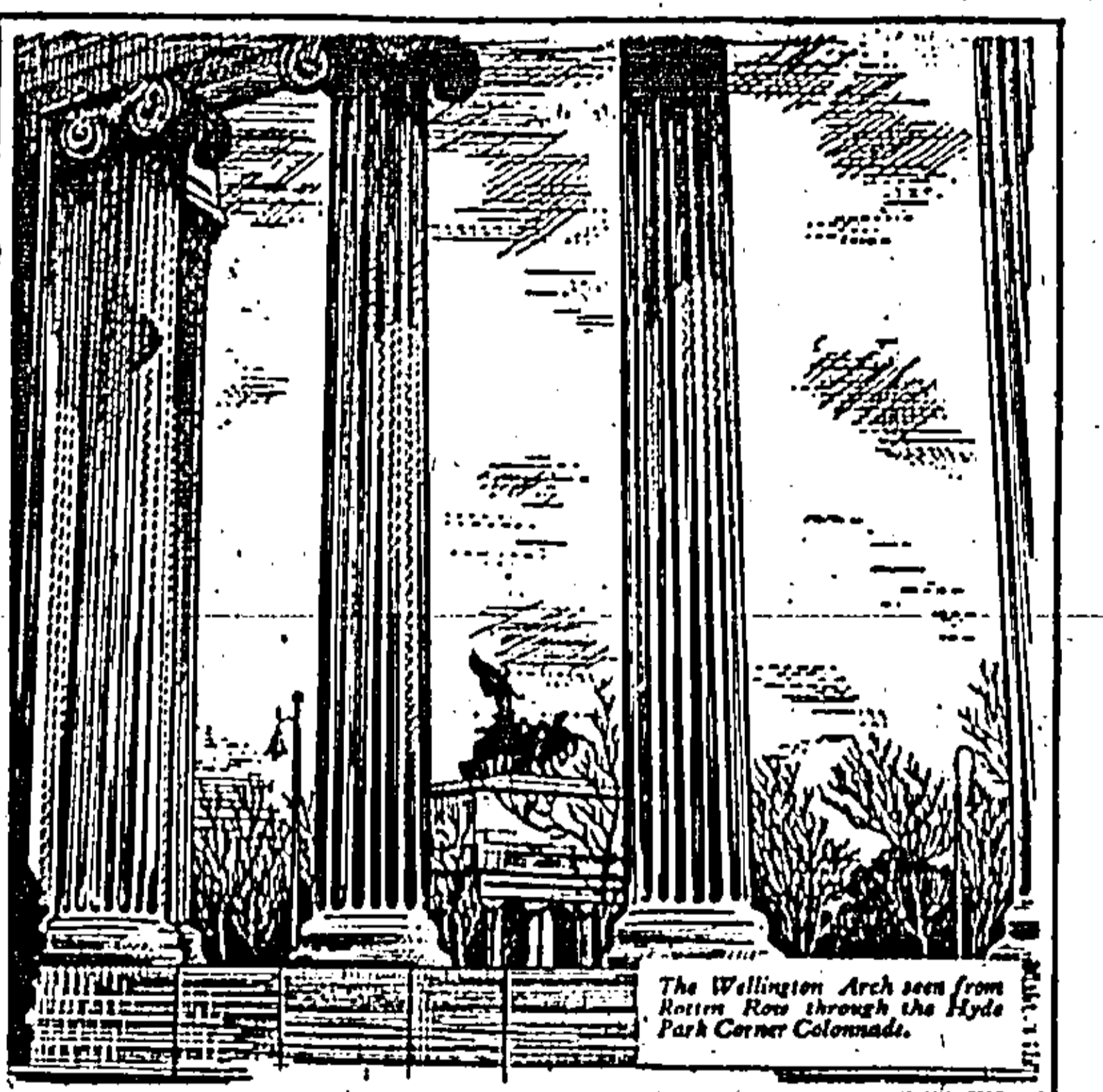
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# Egypt's Premier defends policy on Korea issue

Cairo, July 1.  
The Egyptian Prime Minister, Mustafa El Nahas Pasha, declared today in an interview on Korea that peace could not be preserved on the basis of "international favouritism."

He was defending the Egyptian statement on non-support for the Security Council action in a statement to the Wafdist (Government party) newspaper "Al Balagha."

"Egypt's decision is clear and needs no further explanation," he said. "It cannot be misinterpreted. It is the voice of a free nation in the name of all nations which cherish peace on the basis of justice."

"Every nation with a case before the United Nations has expected the organisation would stand with right and enable it to win even though might were on the other side."

"These nations are looking today to the United Nations and find them using two different standards—in the Korean question they act with speed and use armed forces but nothing was done in other cases."

"Egypt cannot forget her own case, still pending before the Security Council, and we consider it a case of aggression. We cannot forget there are other cases for other nations, who are in a miserable condition as a result of international favouritism."

"Peace cannot be maintained on that basis. I need not tell you after all this that Egypt does not support any aggressor, and we stand with any country attacked."

"Egypt wants justice to prevail in every case submitted to the United Nations."

**Dangerous dispute**  
"This is what Egypt meant in her declaration and is confident her voice will find an echo in the ears of all small powers which are witnessing the world being led towards a very dangerous dispute which may destroy peace."

"Peace remains our aim and we hope this dispute will end and the anxiety which prevails in the world now will be replaced by calm."

"To achieve that purpose the big powers should grant free struggling nations their rights of independence and the unity of their territories."

The Egyptian Press today universally supported the Egyptian Government for refusing to back United Nations action to save South Korea. Egypt is the only non-Communist nation which so far has not shouldered the U.S.-led military measures.

Observers credited Egypt's decision to three factors:—

1. A desire to retaliate against the U.S. and Britain for what Egyptians consider their preferential stand during the Palestine War.
2. National preoccupation with Egyptian affairs. This centres on the "national issue"—Egypt's desire to make a British troop evacuate the Suez Canal zone and substitute union with Sudan under the Egyptian crown for the present British-dominated condominium.
3. Belief that the U.S., to win over Egyptian support on the Korean issue, may exert diplomatic pressure on Britain to give way on Anglo-Egyptian issues.

Informed sources in Cairo say there is not the slightest chance of this occurring.

**Suez' importance**  
The strategic importance of keeping Suez well defended with a known quantity—British troops—has risen sharply as a result of the Korean outbreak, they point out.

## Wishful thinking in Moscow

Moscow, July 1.  
The Soviet "Literary Gazette" said today that the United States "military adventures" in Korea would end in a complete fiasco.

The periodical accused the Americans of plotting armed intervention in China.

International units being formed on the island of Taiwan, last stronghold of the Chinese Nationalists, included among their officers General Nemoto, former Japanese Commander in the invasion of China, it said.

The "Literary Gazette" claimed that Japanese officers were commanding many South Korean army units.—Reuter.

The only qualification in the all-out Press support for Egypt's decision to abstain in the United Nations action came in the opposition newspaper "Akbar El Yom," which said, "We would have wished for a stronger and more definite stand." But the paper quickly added, "We support the Government. There should be no retreat. We should remember there will be pressure from the U.S. and Britain."

"Al Misi," independent, called Egypt's decision wise and said, "It will open the eyes of the world rulers." The paper raised the question of whether Egypt might be bound to support United Nations majority actions any way, since "abstention is not neutrality."

Wafdist pro-Government, said Egypt "rendered the greatest service to world peace." It said it is "only natural Egypt should defend her own interests. She was compelled to do so by those who have neglected her national life."

Throughout all editorial comment ran a theme of bitterness over UN failure to support the Arab cause in Palestine or to support Egypt's case against Britain in 1947. French and English Cairo papers, which are normally cautious in their comments on activities of the Government in this highly nationalistic country, have not discussed the Egyptian decision editorially.

The British Ambassador, Sir Ralph Stevenson, today met the Premier, Nahas Pasha.

Qualified sources said it would be a good guess that Sir Ralph expressed Anglo-American disappointment over Egypt's "hands off" policy toward Korea.

The U.S. Embassy said that the American Ambassador, for example, has no immediate plans to see either Nahas or the Egyptian Foreign Minister, Salah Eddin.

Sir Ralph met Nahas at Alexandria. The call was originally arranged only as a protocol visit.—Reuter and Associated Press.

Rome, July 1.  
The Communists called a 90-minute general strike in industrial Turin to protest the United States action in the Korean war.—United Press.

# ALASKA ON ALERT Taking no chances of surprise attack

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A.M.  
7.00—Up With The Sun.  
7.30—Musical Clock.  
7.45—Ed. A. Keller Programme.  
8.00—News & Weather Forecast.  
8.15—Random Rhythm.  
9.00—Variety Fare.  
9.15—A Programme for Women.  
9.30—Favourite Classics.  
10.30—Morning Melody.

P.M.  
12.00—H.K. Stock Exchange.  
12.15—Tune Time.  
12.30—Band Call.  
1.00—Piano.  
1.15—News.  
1.30—Orchestral Concert.  
2.00—Afternoon Musical.  
4.00—Today's Choice.  
4.15—Rita Bryant and Her Wildcats.  
4.30—Vocally Yours.  
5.00—Music Makers.  
5.15—Harmony Hall.  
5.30—Children's Corner.  
5.45—Radio Headliners.  
6.00—Requiem Programme.  
6.30—The Jumps' Jacks.  
6.45—Do You Remember?  
7.00—Terry and Grace.  
7.15—Candlelight and Silver.  
8.00—H.K. News.  
8.10—Local News.  
8.15—Concert Miniature.  
8.30—Music by Radio.  
9.00—Gilbert and Sullivan.  
9.15—Time Out with Ted Steele and Grace Albert.  
9.30—Quiz Programme.  
10.00—H.K. News.  
10.15—Local News.  
10.30—Silks and Saddles.  
10.45—Make Believe Ballroom.  
11.00—Music of Manhattan.  
11.30—A Date with Dreamland.  
12.00—Close Down.

Anchorage, July 1.  
Steel helmeted troops carrying rifles, pistols and gas masks are on the alert today at Alaska's air military bases. They are taking no chances of a possible surprise attack.

Tanks and additional combat troops are expected to augment the air force and infantrymen at the big Elmendorf Air Force base at Anchorage.

"Given even a little warning, we could put up a hell of a fight right now," said Lieutenant-General Nathan Twining, silver-haired Commander-in-Chief, Alaska Command.

This wartime preparedness extends on the long line running generally South West from Ladd Air Force Base at Fairbanks in the Northern Interior to Kodiak at the West entrance of the Gulf of Alaska.

This will be Alaska's line of defence in the event of an attack. Since the Americans started shooting in Korea, all troops in the Alaskan area are being trained in the use of ground weapons and all have been assigned positions to take in the case of emergency.

All precautions are being taken against the possibility of sabotage or fifth column activity from within.

It is obvious that primary precautions are being taken

against the chance of attack by para-troops.

It is for this that General Twining awaits tanks, which are highly effective against troops dropped from the air. General Twining believes that with even a brief warning a real fight could be put against such an attack.

It is also obvious that the Commander of the Alaskan forces could use more troops and more and heavier equipment.

To the North and West of the Fairbanks-Kodiak line, the defences are another story.

At Nome, near the Bering Straits where Alaskans can look across the water towards Russian territory, 100 miles away, the inactivity of the Air Force's Marks Field is continuing.

Apparently the American Command considers this area indefensible and its small airfield of little more than nuisance value to any enemy that might take it.—Associated Press.

## RADIO

Radio Hong Kong broadcasts on a frequency of 845 kilocycles per second and on 933 megacycles per second in the 21 metre band.

H.K.T.  
P.M.  
12.30—"Hong Kong Calling"—Programme Summary.  
12.32—"The Deep River Boys in Harmony."  
12.45—"Heather's Mixture"—A Variety Programme from Scotland. (DDCTB)  
1.15—News, Weather Report and Announcements.  
1.30—"Music for You."  
2.00—"Close Down."  
2.00—"Hong Kong Calling"—Programme Summary.  
2.02—"Children's Jiffy"—Hour—Introduced by Jack Frost (Studio).  
2.30—"Time for Music"—BBC Midland Light Orchestra. (DDCTB)  
2.30—"Of the Record"—Presented by Ronnie Gibbons (Studio).  
2.00—"World News and News Analysis." (London Relay).  
2.15—"I Like What I Like"—Presented by Anthony Smith (Studio).  
2.45—"Linda Cate"—Talks on Films. (London Relay).  
3.00—"From the Editorials." (London Relay).  
3.10—"Weather Report."  
3.11—"Concerto"—Haydn's Concerto in D Major for Cello and Oboe. Ensemble: Feuerstein (Cello) and Brynnydd Orchestra. Conducted by Sir Malcolm Sargent. (DDCTB)  
3.45—"It's a Joke"—(DDCTB)  
10.15—"Latin American Music."  
10.30—"From the Editorials"—Lee Deau Plesons (Message).  
10.45—"Dance to Guy Lombardo and His Royal Canadians."  
11.00—"Radio News Reel." (London Relay).  
11.15—"Weather Report."  
11.16—"Goodnight Music."  
God Save the King.  
11.30—"Close Down."

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WELL! GOLLY—I DON'T KNOW—

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By ALEX RAYMOND

LET ME TALK TO HIM!

IT'S RIP! THE POLICE HAVE A CLUE TO MOM'S KIDNAPERS!

YOU BE CAREFUL, RIP KIRBY! YOU TOLD ME ONCE THAT MORAY WAS A KILLER!

DON'T WORRY, DEAR... IT'S JUST A ROUTINE CALL ON A SUSPECT!

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**JOHNNY HAZARD**  
By FRANK ROBBINS

CURSED... LITTLE... RID... OF YOU... AT...

...ACT...

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**JANE**

IF I'M SEEN ENTERING A LADY'S FLAT—

COME ON! YOU MAY AS WELL BE HUNG AS A SHAM!

—AND IF I'M NOT SCARED OF STORMING BLUEBEARD'S CHAMBER, YOU SHOULDN'T SHRINK FROM BRAVING BEAUTY'S BOWER!

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